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In re Application of:

PHILLIPS et al.

Serial Number: 10/084,683

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RESPONSE AND SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action dated March 14, 2002, in connection with the above-identified application. The period for response to the Official Action has been extended to expire on July 14, 2002 by the filing of a Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time and payment of the required fee.

The Official Action acknowledges receipt of the application, but indicates that the statutory filing fee is missing. Applicants submit herewith a check for the required fee. The serial number and filing date are provided above and are given on attached form.

Applicants hereby concurrently submit a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment for this application.

It is believed that the application is now in condition for examination. Accordingly, Applicants most respectfully request that an Official Filing Receipt be issued and that the application be forwarded to the appropriate examining group for its examination in due course.

Respectfully submitted,  
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

  
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